

# MEDICAID FACTSHEET PRIVATE DUTY NURSING

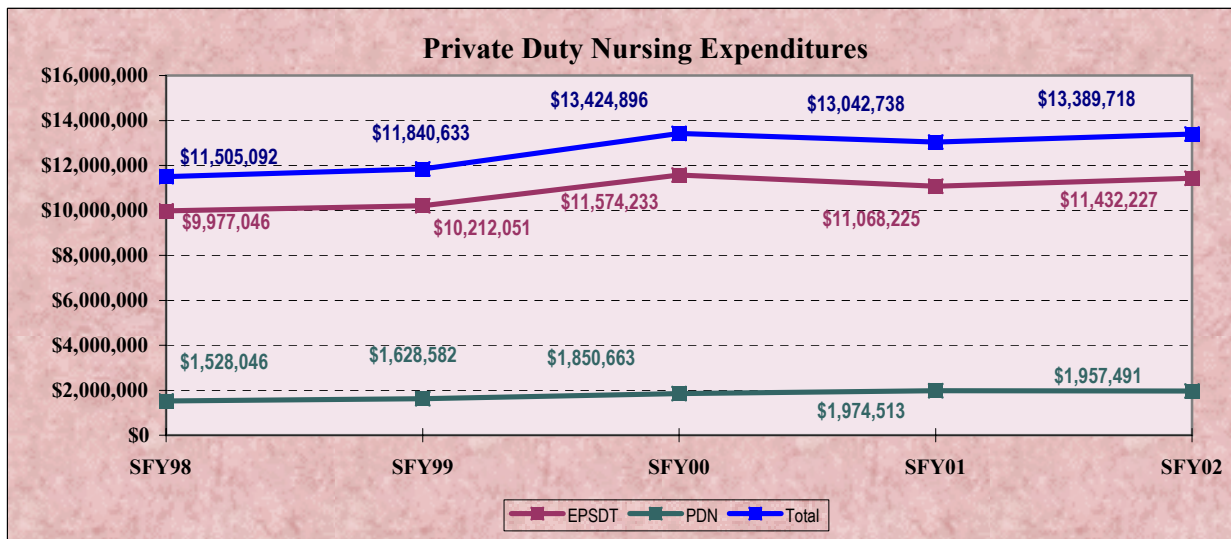
Private Duty Nursing Expenditures  
as % of Total Hosp/Med Exp:  
SFY98: 1.28%  
SFY99: 1.26%  
SFY00: 1.33%  
SFY01: 1.11%  
SFY02: 0.89%

**Private Duty Nursing (PDN) Services are provided by a registered nurse and/or licensed practical nurse under the direction of the recipient's physician. Services are rendered in the recipient's place of residence.**

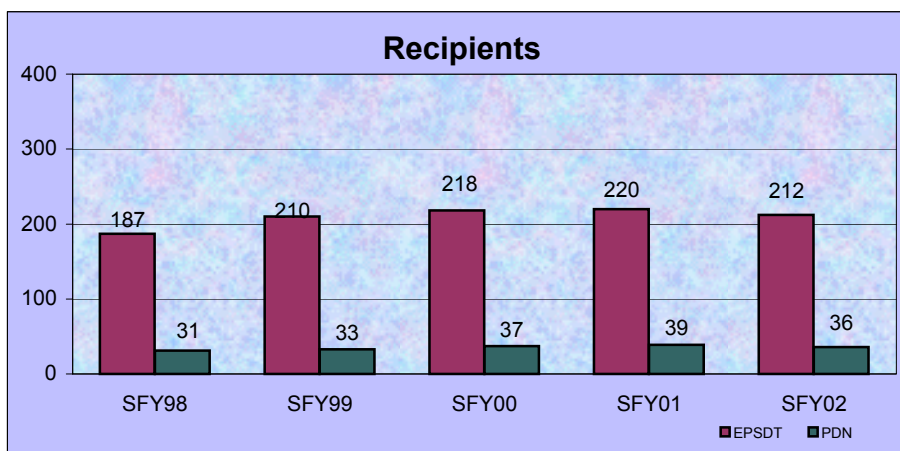
**Private Duty Nursing Services are *not* covered in a hospital, boarding home, intermediate care facility, skilled nursing facility or a residential care facility. \$80 per month, per recipient benefit limit on Private Duty Nursing medical supplies; limit may be extended.**

## ELIGIBILITY

**PDN services may be covered for Medicaid eligible ventilator-dependent recipients when determined medically necessary and prescribed by a physician. Coverage may also be available for high technology non-ventilator dependent recipients in the Child Health Services Program (EPSDT) who require: Prolonged Intravenous Drugs; Parenteral Nutrition; Oxygen Supplementation; Tube Feeding; and Peritoneal Dialysis.**



**EPSDT = Private Duty Nursing/EPSDT; PDN = Private Duty Nursing, non-EPSDT**



### Average Expenditure Per Recipient, SFY02

<b>EPSDT</b>	<b>\$53,926</b>
<b>PDN</b>	<b>\$54,375</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$53,991</b>

Source: DSS Reports; Medicaid Statistical Reports; Medicaid Provider Manual